

Office of Border Patrol
FY 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, and 2015 Q2 YTD
Assaults on Border Patrol Agents Analysis / Border Violence Report
October 1, 2014 – March 31, 2015

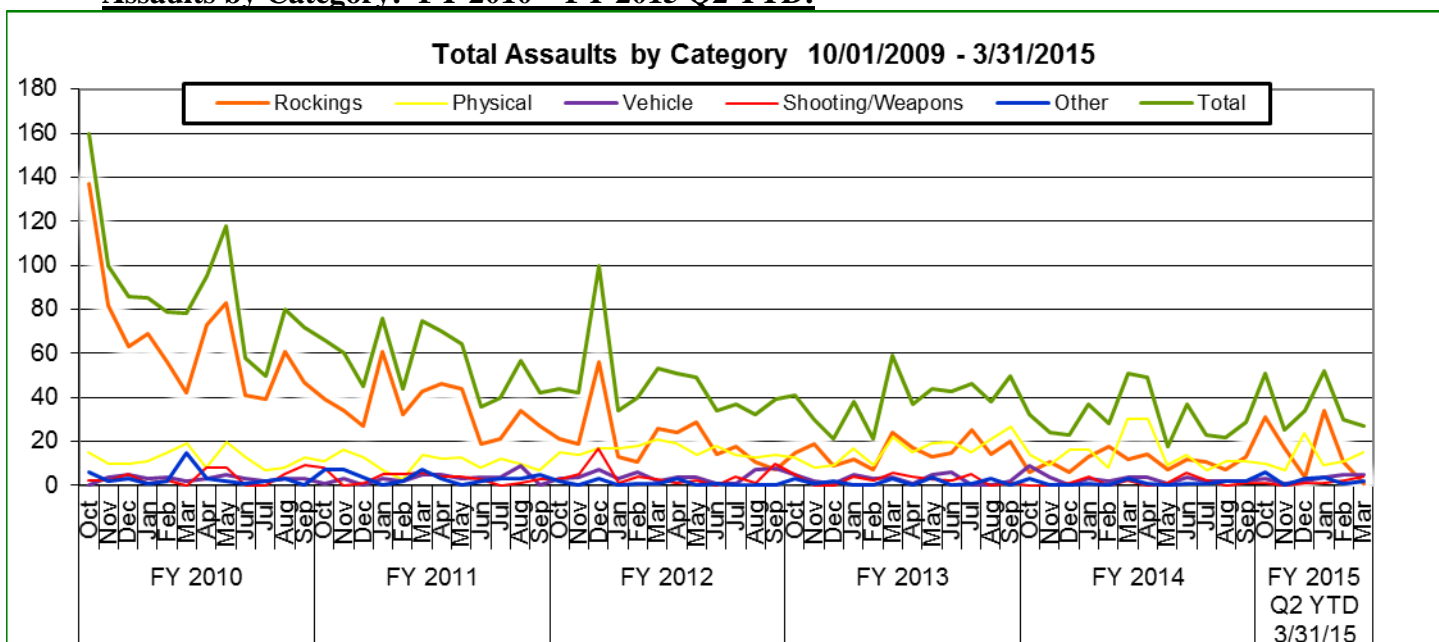
Talking Points:

- At the end of the Second Quarter, Fiscal Year 2015, Year-to-Date (**FY 15 Q2 YTD**), a total of ***219** incidents of violence (average 1.2 per day) have been perpetrated against Border Patrol agents, an **overall ▲12% increase** from the same period last fiscal year. All but three of the assaults have occurred along the Southwest Border.
- The sectors along the Southwest Border experiencing the **largest decreases** in assaults were **Del Rio 1 (▼75%)**, San Diego 40 (**▼20%**) and Yuma 4 (**▼20%**) by FY 15 Q2 YTD, compared to last year.
- The sectors along the Southwest Border with the **largest increases** in assaults were **El Paso 20 (▲100%)**, **El Centro 18 (▲80%)**, and **Rio Grande Valley 53 (▲66%)** compared to last year. **Tucson Sector** had the largest total number of assaults, **56**, which is 26% of the total for this reporting period.
- The Northern Border had an overall decrease (**▼40%**) in assaults, with **Detroit 1** and **Blaine 2**.
- Vehicle assaults decreased ▼9%** from the same period last year, totaling **20** by FY 15 Q2 YTD.
- Shooting/weapons assaults increased ▲29%** from last year at this time, totaling **9**.

Assault Comparisons FY 11, 12, 13, 14, 15Q1 (10/1/2014 – 12/31/2014)	<u>FY11</u> <u>EOY</u>	<u>FY 12</u> <u>EOY</u>	<u>FY 13</u> <u>EOY</u>	<u>FY 14</u> <u>EOY</u>	<u>FY 14 Q2</u> <u>YTD</u>	<u>FY 15 Q2</u> <u>YTD</u>	%Change FY 14 Q2 to FY 15 Q2
Total Assaults	675	555	468	373	195	219	▲12%
<i>Rocking Assaults</i>	427	249	190	130	66	98	▲48%
<i>Physical Assaults</i>	126	194	195	176	93	76	▼18%
<i>Vehicle Assaults</i>	39	50	34	38	22	20	▼9%
<i>Shooting/Weapons Assaults</i>	40	51	32	17	7	9	▲29%
<i>Other Assaults</i>	32	11	17	12	7	16	▲129%

*Comparison data includes FY 2015 totals through March 31, 2015. Data Source: BPERT/EID

- Rock-throwing assaults account for 45% of the total assaults in FY 15 Q2 YTD.**
Assaults by Category: FY 2010 – FY 2015 Q2 YTD:



FY 15 Q2 YTD Assaults per Sector (with comparison to same period last year - FY 14 Q2 YTD)

SECTOR	FY14 Q2 YTD Assaults	% Change	FY15 Q2 YTD Assaults
San Diego	50	▼ 20%	40
El Centro	10	▲ 80%	18
Yuma	5	▼ 20%	4
Tucson	57	▼ 2%	56
El Paso	10	▲ 100%	20
Big Bend	2	▲ 50%	3
Del Rio	4	▼ 75%	1
Laredo	19	▲ 11%	21
Rio Grande	32	▲ 66%	53
SB TOTAL	189	▲ 14%	216
Blaine	0	▲ >500%	2
Spokane	0	NC	0
Havre	0	NC	0
Grand Forks	0	NC	0
Detroit	1	NC	1
Buffalo	0	NC	0
Swanton	0	NC	0
Houlton	4	▼ 100%	0
NB TOTAL	5	▼ 40%	3
New Orleans	0	NC	0
Miami	1	▼ 100%	0
Ramey	0	NC	0
CB TOTAL	1	▼ 100%	0

Historic Record of Assaults FY 2006 – FY 2015 Q2 YTD (provided for informational purposes).

